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In re Application of:

Ronald Roscoe Bush

Serial No. 09/498,293

For: Secure Encryption of Data
Packets for Transmission Over

Secured Networks

Attorney Docket No. AT9-97-308B

Examiner: John M. Winter

Group Art Unit: 3621

AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in reply to the Office Action dated June 10, 2002, having a shortened statutory period set to expire September 10, 2002.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Re: U.S.Application No. 09/498,293; Attorney Docket No.: AT9-97-308B

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 10, 2002, attached is:

-- Amendment A.

Please feel free to call me at (512) 2148 should you have any questions concerning the attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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